Time of his Sickness he was to the best of their Apprehension of Sound & disposing Mind & Memory that they Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence and at the request of the Testator (and that they saw Wm Newell Signe his name as a Witness at the Same Time

(5 Sides) Sworn before John Darnall Comm. Prod. &c.

In the Name of God Amen

I Thomas Culver of Frederick County being Sick & weak in Body but of Sound and Perfect memory (blessed be God) therefore Do this day the Eighth of November Anno Dom 1758 make and publish this my Last will and Testament in manner and form following — that is to say Imprimis I Commend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it me & my body to the Earth from whence it came in sure & Certain hopes of a joyfull Resurrection thro' the merits of my Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ and as for that worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to inrich me with I dispose thereof as followeth —

First I give & devise to my dear Mother Francis Culver during her Natural Life the Land (and plantation she now Lives on called Bachelors Forest contain 200 Acres & from & after her Decease I give & devise the same Land & premises called Batchelors Forest to my Sister Drusilla Culver her heirs & Assigns for Ever to the intent & purpose hereinafter mentioned (that is to say) that my said Sister Drusilla after the decease of my said Mother & at the Several Times hereafter mentioned pay or cause to be paid unto the rest of my Sisters or their Children the sum of Forty pounds Currency Viz. —

That she do thereout pay unto my Sister Ann Davis's Eldest Daughter Drusilla the sum of £10 Curr. at the End & Term of Six years after the decease of my Mother — Also that she thereout do pay unto my Sister Rebecca Luck her two daughters Elenor & Nancy £5 Like money Each at the End & Term of Six years after the decease of my Mother, also that she thereout do pay unto my Sister ~~Catharina~~ Elizabeth Culver the sum of £10 Curr. at the End & Term of Six years after the decease of my Mother, also that she thereout pay unto my Sister Cassandra Culver the sum of

of £10 Curr. at the End & Term of Six years after the Decease of my Mother the whole Amount being £40 Currency is to be paid with Trouble Suit or Molestation whatsoever; Lastly I do hereby revoke & make void and Nullify all wills heretofore by me made formerly & do declare pronounce and publish this to be my Last Will & Testament the day & date above written

Signed sealed published pronounced and declared by the Test. to be his Last Will & Testament in presence of us the Subscribing Witnesses. — Thos. his mark T. Culver (Seal)

Arch. Edmonston
Dorothy Edmonston
Mary Ann March

May 15th 1760 Dorothy Edmonston & Mary March two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Will being duly & solemnly Sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God depose & Say that they saw the Testator Thomas Culver Sign the foregoing Will & heard him publish & declare the Same to be his Last Will & Testament that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound & disposing mind Mind & Memory that they Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator & at his request & they further Swear that they saw Arch. Edmonston another of the Subscribing Witnesses Sign his Name at the Same Time as Witness to the within Will

Examined — Jno. Darnall Comm. Prod. Co. F

(5½ Sides)

In the Name of God Amen

I Thomas Cann of Frederick County in the Province of Maryland Planter being Weak of Body but of Sound & perfect Mind & memory do make & publish this my Last Will & Testament in Writing in manner following. —

And first I do hereby revoke all former and other wills (Contrary hereunto) by me made And I Will order direct & Appoint that all my honest and just debts which I shall owe to any person or persons whatsoever at the Time of my decease & also my funeral Expences & Charges &c. be paid & discharged & I do hereby give devise & bequeath unto my beloved son Thomas all my Lands Houses & all other my real Estate whatsoever I say to him & his heirs & Assigns for ever but it is my mind & will that he do not suffer occupy or enjoy the plantation whereon I now Live till after his mothers decease or untill her Leave is first had and obtained for his so doing — I further give devise & bequeath unto my said son Thomas his heirs & Assigns for ever one Negro boy named Ned, & one Negro Girl